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## GERMANS FLEE BEFORE THE CZAR'S MEN.

Turkey Wavers Between  
War and Neutral-  
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RUSSIANS  
ADVANCE.

Kaiser's Forces Are Ad-  
vancing Into The  
Interior.

BERLIN, Aug. 26.—According to official announcement made here today, Lieut. General Prince Frederick of Saxe-Meiningen was killed by a shell before Namur, August 23. No news of the situation on the southern and western fronts of Germany has been given out today.

PARIS, Aug. 26.—According to Englishmen arriving from Mons, the British army was attacked six times by six different bodies of Germans and beat them all off. They estimate the English casualties at 2,000. They report that the allies made a hecatomb of the Germans near Mons. Certain portions of the field, they declare, were covered with German dead piled so high that the Turks, the French African troops, had difficulty in getting over the bodies to attack the Prussian guards.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 25.—Members of a local stock-buying firm began today securing horses which are to be shipped to France for use in the allied armies. The Lafayette firm announces it has received an order for 15,000 of the animals from the French Government.

LONDON, England, Aug. 26.—Many Americans have enlisted in London in the foreign legion organized by Captain Ricci, who fought with Carideldi. The services of the legion have been offered to the British war office, but have not yet been accepted. The legion contains 3,000 men and 200 officers. One-third of its membership speaks English, one-third Russian and one-third Italian.

PARIS, France, Aug. 27.—So far as can be gleaned from official announcements the great battle line along the French frontier and in Belgium continues to be the scene of engagements between the opposing armies. The nature of these engagements and their results have not been made public, beyond the admission by the French War Office that in the north the French and British lines have been moved back, as well as the French right, in the region of St. Die. The French troops on the offensive between Nancy and Vosges are said to be making headway.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Tension is so acute in Constantinople diplomats there fear Turkey may at any moment be drawn into the general European war on the side of Germany and Austria.

A strict censorship has been placed on the newspapers in Turkey, which are now controlled by the military and are being used, according to diplomatic dispatches here, to create a strong pro-German feeling. The Turkish government is wavering between a declaration of war and the preservation of neutrality.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The Daily News publishes a dispatch from its Antwerp correspondent saying it is reported there that the American Minister to Belgium, Brand Whitlock, has sent an energetic protest to the German Government against the hurling of bombs into Antwerp from a Zeppelin airship.

MILAN, August 26.—General Spiridovich, of the Russian General Staff, who left here today for the front, told the Corriere d'Italia that Russia's 2,000,000 men are moving into Galicia and East Prussia, with 5,000,000 reserves mobilized ready to follow in a short time. General Spiridovich says that when the forward march of the great Russian army is made they will force the Germans to abandon Alsace and Lorraine and return to defend the German frontier. The Triple Entente is sure to win, he believes.

LEXINGTON, KY., Aug. 27.—The Kentucky Sales Company of this city is in receipt of an inquiry from the Canadian Government as to whether it can furnish cavalry horses for use by the Canadian troops which are being mobilized, presumably for the aid of the English army now fighting with the allies in the European war. The inquiry asked about the number available and the price at which they can be supplied.

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### PARIS PEOPLE HEARD FROM

Through the efforts of the State Department at Washington, Mr. and Mrs. C. Grosche, formerly of Paris, who left New York some months ago on the Emperor for a month's visit to the former's old home in Germany, have been located. The news came in the shape of a telegram from the State Department to Mr. Henry Grosche, of Paris, notifying him that Mr. and Mrs. Grosche had been located at Niedersfeld, Westphalia, Germany. The telegram stated that they were both well and comfortably situated with friends in Niedersfeld.

Yesterday's Cincinnati Enquirer contains the following under a Washington date line: "James Thompson and family, of Lexington, are stranded in Venice, and money has been telegraphed them through the State Department."

Through Judge Bennett, of Louisville, one of the returning Americans who recently landed in New York from London, news has reached the Department of State as to the Bourbon party in Europe, who are in Venice, Italy, and said to be in financial straits on account of the inability to get funds on account of the war situation.

Through Judge Bennett, Mr. W. E. Simms, who was in New York, learned of the condition of the Thompson party. Mr. Simms immediately got in communication with Mr. A. L. Ferguson, of Georgetown. Mr. Ferguson communicated with Senator Ollie James, Congressman J. C. Cantrill and Senator J. N. Camden. All three promptly responded that they had made urgent representations to the State Department, to the effect that the United States Treasurer was interested and gave positive assurance that immediate steps would be taken to afford Mr. Thompson and his party all necessary financial relief. This will be done as soon as the party can be located. When last heard from they were in Venice. President Wilson has been personally interested in the case and will do everything possible.

Mrs. Lucy Simms and daughter, Miss Lucy Simms, who have been abroad for some months, reached Paris, Wednesday.

Miss Frances Johnson arrived in New York last Saturday from London, where she had been temporarily on account of the disturbed conditions in Germany. Miss Johnson will arrive here for a short stay next week, but will return to New York to pursue her musical studies.

It cannot be learned whether the Thompson party are all together in Venice, as only Mr. Thompson himself has been heard from.

### REAL ESTATE CHANGES HANDS

The real estate market in the city and county seems to be looking up a bit. A number of sales have been recently made at fairly good prices.

Mr. Ellis Baldwin, of Millersburg, purchased through the real estate agency of Harris & Speakes, Monday, at public auction, a house and lot in Millersburg, belonging to Mr. Peale Collier, of this city, for \$1,375.

Mrs. Anna Sagaser Lancaster bought of Chas. J. Lancaster a six-room cottage on the west side of Ferguson street, in Paris, at a private figure, and will move to it as soon as possession can be given.

W. A. Penn, of Harrison county, sold to Mrs. Edward P. Short, of Daviess county, the Ammerman farm, located on the Cynthiana pike, near Jacksonville, in this county, at something over \$100 per acre. The farm adjoins the lands of Wm. and Claude Cantrill.

The North Middletown Cemetery Company (colored) purchased from Mr. Chas. Meng, an acre of land located on the Prescott pike, near North Middletown, for \$110.

### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The City Council met in regular session last night, with Mayor Hinton presiding.

After the transaction of routine business Mr. Ullman Lancaster was elected City Electrician to fill out the unexpired term of his brother, the late Howard Lancaster.

Five hundred feet of the best fire hose obtainable was purchased from a Chicago firm.

Building permits were granted to the following:

Deposit and Peoples Bank, addition to bank building, Main and Fourth streets, \$3,500.

Harris & Speakes, house, Cypress street, \$1,800.

Chas. Green, cottage, Cypress street, \$2,000.

J. Morgan Brown, house, Mt. Airy, \$2,000.

L. Saloshin, business house, Main and Seventh streets, \$6,500.

### TEXT BOOK DEALERS ORGANIZE

The Kentucky Retail Text Book Dealers' Association was organized at Louisville, Wednesday, by more than 100 rural school-book dealers and 20 County Superintendents, in conjunction with the efforts that are being made to persuade the four publishing houses which supply the majority of the text books used in Kentucky schools to co-operate with the Kentucky School-Book Depository.

### "THROWING THE BULL?"

"A representative of a Cincinnati wholesale paper house remarked to The Democrat, the other day, that he considered Cynthiana and Paris the two best towns on his route. Business men in each place were very prompt in paying their bills and business was usually good.—Cynthiana Democrat."

### CLARK'S IDENTITY ESTABLISHED

Through persistent and painstaking work on the part of Coroner Rudolph Davis, of this city, the identity of the man who was found mangled in the railroad cut, near the L. & N. Tenth street passenger station last Wednesday morning, has been fully and satisfactorily established.

In an effort to establish the man's identity, Coroner Davis communicated with Chief of Detectives John P. Carney, of Louisville, giving all the particulars in his possession. Mr. Carney, while going to his office at police headquarters in Louisville a few mornings ago met an old friend, Mr. August T. Gutzsell, of Louisville, who had read in a Louisville paper of the finding of the body and the subsequent disposition of the remains following the inquest. Mr. Gutzsell was then on his way to see Chief Carney, and between them it was decided that Mr. Gutzsell, who believed the body to be that of his adopted child, John Clark, should come to Paris at once, and make an effort to find out if his suspicions were true.

Mr. Gutzsell came to Paris yesterday from Lexington on the noon suburban car, and went at once to the office of Coroner Davis. He was shown the effects found in the pockets of the clothing worn by the man at the time of his death, and was more than ever convinced that he was on the right track. In company with Coroner Davis, Mr. Gutzsell visited the cemetery, and had the body exhumed. After a thorough examination Mr. Gutzsell identified it and made the identification doubly sure by means of numerous marks, scars, etc., to him indisputable evidences. The body was replaced and the grave closed again.

To Coroner Davis, Mr. Gutzsell stated that the body was that of John Clark, a boy who had been adopted by his sister from an orphan's home in New York, while they were living in New Albany, Ind., where the sister still resides. He had been given the name of John Clark when brought to the orphan's home, and as such he was known all the time.

The boy made his home with them up to the time he was sixteen years of age, when he developed wanderlust, and disappeared for several years, during which time they had no knowledge of his whereabouts. He told them he had been with a carnival company part of the time. After remaining in Louisville about six months he again suddenly disappeared and nothing more was heard of him until they heard of the man by the name of John Clark being killed on the tracks. He told them that he spent several years in Atlantic City in various capacities and had learned the barber trade.

Mr. Gutzsell returned to Louisville yesterday after making arrangements for the payment of all claims for Clark's burial expenses. The body will be allowed to remain here temporarily.

Mr. Gutzsell warmly praised Coroner Davis for his energetic and untiring efforts to discover the boy's identity and the interest he took in endeavoring to learn something of his family connection.

### WAR MAY BE LENGTHY: WHEAT LEAPS UPWARD.

Excited by predictions that the European war would be long-drawn out, the Chicago wheat market soared Monday and a half hour before the close was seven to eight cents higher than Saturday's close. December wheat sold at \$1.15 and that for delivery next May at \$1.21 2-8. The close was only 2 1-8 under the ton.

In this connection it will be interesting to note that Paris milling concerns are paying good prices for wheat. The Paris Milling Company bought 5,000 bushels of wheat Wednesday from Bourbon County parties at \$1 per bushel. The same figure was realized on sales made to other houses.

### SUSPECTS ARRESTED.

Three negroes, Jack Dennis, Maggie Rees and Lula Case, residing in Claysville, were placed under arrest yesterday on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of Thomas Collins, a colored construction hand, whose body was found in Claysville Tuesday morning.

The officers have been working energetically on the case for several days, and assert that they have strong evidence connecting the three suspects with the killing.

The negroes refuse to talk about the case or to affirm or deny the charge against them.

### NEW TRAINMASTER.

Mr. W. O. Chambers, who recently resigned the position of Trainmaster of the Kentucky Central division of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, with headquarters in Paris, has been succeeded by Mr. J. C. Metcalfe, Jr., of Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. Metcalfe will take charge of the position September 1. He is a son of Mr. J. G. Metcalfe, Sr., formerly General Manager of the Louisville & Nashville, and who is now prominently identified with a large railroad in the East, with headquarters in New York.

### NEW LEAGUE.

A Local Option League was organized by the women of the North Middletown neighborhood Wednesday afternoon. There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm was expressed. Mrs. Ben Skillman was elected chairman, and Mrs. A. C. Trimble, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Mary Harris Armour has been engaged to lecture at North Middletown next week. (28-1t)

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NOTICE!

NO WAR PRICES!

The European war will have a tremendous effect upon the retail prices of many articles, and it is expected to practically stop, for a time at least, importations from Europe. This means that laces, gloves, linens, toys, trimmings, many notions, as well as many articles made in this country of raw materials or accessories that are imported, such as yarns, dyes, etc., will be almost impossible to secure.

Prices are sure to advance on all such articles. In fact, many of the retail stores of the larger cities have already advanced the price on some articles that we carry in stock, some as much as a hundred per cent. We are of the opinion that a retail store, an institution like ours, is duty bound to work in behalf of its customers. This has always been our aim, and in a critical time like this, when much of the merchandise that we are offering to you could not be replaced at the prices we ask, we are, nevertheless, maintaining our old prices. It will be time enough when we have to purchase new goods at higher prices for us to advance prices to you.

Our object in this store editorial is to advise you of our determined policy of protecting our customers to the extent of our ability and also to advise you beforehand that much merchandise will advance in prices, heavily, as well as being hard to obtain, a little later on, so that if possible you may provide now for some of your future wants.

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